,			a mila mangalanga anggandarang pa	50X1-HUM
CE	NTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGEN		ial contains information affecting	the Na-
INFORMATION REPORT		tional Defer ing of the and 794, th	tional Defense of the United States within the mean- ing of the Espionage Laws, Title 18 U.S.C. Secs. 793 and 794, the transmission or reveiation of which in any manner to an unauthorized person is prohibited	
	SECR!	T-US OFFICIALS ONLY		50X1-HUM
(TRY	USSR	REPORT		
СТ	1. Relative Popularity a Soviet Governmental I Fate of Berlya and Si	Leaders; DATE DIST	R. 5 Octobe	r 1954
	2. Infiltration of the I	filitary into the NO. OF P.	AGES 2	
OF INFO.		EQUIREM	ENT NO. RD	
ACQUIRED		EFERENCE	es .	5074 111174
				50X1-HUM
		IONS IN THIS REPORT ARE DEFINITIVE.		
4		AL OF CONTENT IS TENTATIVE. OR KEY SEE REVERSE)		50X1-HUM
1. According to be	ding to informants, as of	summer 1954, Premier G.M.	Malenkov appeared	
to be popula apatho are lo ment : negat:	enjoying a position of so ace at large. Even though etic that they would belie poking toward Malenkov to in their standard of livir ive attitude toward Stalin Malenkov, such expressions	me confidence on the part it would seem that the po- ve no one any longer, the old ill their great hope g. As a reflection of the , and toward key Party fi as. "Thank God that we have	of the Soviet cople are so ey nevertheless e for an improve- ne people's gures other lave Malenkov"	
popula apatha are 10 ment : negatithan 1 have a respect	enjoying a position of so ace at large. Even though etic that they would belie poking toward Kalenkov to in their standard of livir ive attitude toward Stalin Malenkov, such expressions often been uttered by the et of the military.	me confidence on the part it would seem that the per- ve no one any longer, the calculation their great hope g. As a reflection of the , and toward key Party fi as, "Thank God that we have populace. Malenkov also	c of the Soviet cople are so cy nevertheless c for an improve- ne people's gures other nave Malenkov", commands the	
to be popula apath are lo ment: negat: than I have or respect. On the Lt. Ge	enjoying a position of so ace at large. Even though etic that they would belie poking toward Malenkov to in their standard of livin ive attitude toward Stalin Malenkov, such expressions often been uttered by the	me confidence on the part it would seem that the pervence of the collision of the calculation of the calcula	c of the Soviet cople are so cy nevertheless c for an improve- ne people's gures other lave Malenkov", commands the	50X1-HUM
to be popula apath are lement: negat: than I have a respective to the lement in the le	enjoying a position of so ace at large. Even though etic that they would belie boking toward Malenkov to in their standard of livir ive attitude toward Stalin Malenkov, such expressions often been uttered by the et of the military. The other hand, individuals eneral N.S. Khrushchev. In hence has had most of his as Marshal N.A. Bulganin i to fine position as Mini- te him because of his extr	me confidence on the part it would seem that the per ve no one any longer, the calculation of the calculatio	c of the Soviet cople are so cy nevertheless c for an improve- ne people's gures other nave Malenkov", commands the cry much about SSR. the military by re those who	
to be popula apatha are la ment in negatithan I have a respect. On the Lt. Garage Wherea virting distill decision Sou	enjoying a position of so ace at large. Even though etc. that they would belie booking toward Malenkov to in their standard of living ive attitude toward Staling Malenkov, such expressions often been uttered by the etc of the military. The other hand, individuals eneral N.S. Khrushchev. The other hand most of his as Marshal N.A. Bulganin is to fine because of his extractive and sometimes arbitrar riet Army General S.M. Sht	me confidence on the part it would seem that the pervence in two one any longer, the calcill their great hope g. As a reflection of the property of the second of the second of the second of the user	c of the Soviet cople are so cy nevertheless c for an improve- ne people's gures bther nave Malenkov", commands the cry much about SSR. the military by re those who ne he is a very the demotion the General Staff	
to be popula apatha are le ment : negatithan it have corespect. On the Lt. Ge Khrush dislipled cist of Socoof the ur promote	enjoying a position of so ace at large. Even though the end of the pooling toward kalenkov to in their standard of living ive attitude toward Staling Malenkov, such expressions often been uttered by the ent of the military. The other hand, individuals eneral N.S. Khrushchev. The chew has had most of his eneral N.A. Bulganin is of his position as Ministen him tecause of his extra treat Army General S.M. Ship es of Bulganin's arbitrary derlying reason for this siona had had the recommen	me confidence on the part it would seem that the per ve no one any longer, the calcill their great hope g. As a reflection of the nand toward key Party fi as, "Thank God that we have populace. Malenkov also in the USSR do not so, veservice in the Ukrainian segmentally supported by ster of Defense, there are me harshness, and because y man. emenko, former chief of to of licutenant general as actions. demotion was that one of dation of Beriva. Shteme	cof the Soviet cople are so cy nevertheless c for an improve- ne people's gures other lave Malenkov", commands the cry much about SSR. the military by c those who le he is a very the demotion the General Staff c an example Shtemenko's mko is presently	50X1-HUN
to be popula apatha are la ment in negatithan I have a respective from the interest of Sound of the uppromote the uppromote the formal interest of the uppromote the uppro	enjoying a position of so ace at large. Even though etic that they would belie boking toward Kalenkov to in their standard of living ive attitude toward Staling Malenkov, such expressions often been uttered by the et of the military. The other hand, individuals eneral N.S. Khrushchev. The other hand, individuals eneral N.S. Khrushchev. The other hand, individuals eneral N.S. Khrushchev. The other hand most of his experimental of his extra its him because of his extra viet Army General S.M. Sht es Soviet Army, to the rank et of Bulganin's arbitrary inderlying reason for this	me confidence on the part it would seem that the per ve no one any longer, the call ill their great hope g. As a reflection of the period of the user	cof the Soviet cople are so by nevertheless of for an improve- ne people's gures other ave Malenkov", commands the cry much about SSR. The military by the those who he is a very the demotion of the General Staff an example Shtemenko's onko is presently to the demotion of the General Staff and example Shtemenko's onko is presently to the demotion of the General Staff and example Shtemenko's onko is presently to the demotion of the General Staff and example Shtemenko's onko is presently to the demotion of the General Staff and example of the demotion of the General Staff and example of the demotion of the General Staff and example of the demotion of the General Staff and example of the demotion of the General Staff and example of the General Staff an	50X1-HUN
to be popula apatha are la ment in negatithan I have a respective from the interest of Sound for the uppromote the uppromote the interest of the uppromote t	enjoying a position of some at large. Even though the attempt would believe that they would believe that they would believe to the toward Malenkov to in their standard of living ive attitude toward Staling Malenkov, such expressions of the been uttered by the ext of the military. The other hand, individuals eneral N.S. Khrushchev. The other hand, individuals eneral N.S. Khrushchev. The other hand most of his extracted has had most of his extracted and sometimes arbitrary riet Army General S.M. Ship to the Soviet Army, to the rank to of Bulganin's arbitrary inderlying reason for this item had had the recomment of staff of the Novosibir title of State Security) a red an influx of military directorates of the Minist place, and are continuing	me confidence on the part it would seem that the per ve no one any longer, the call ill their great hope g. As a reflection of the period of the user	cof the Soviet cople are so by nevertheless of for an improve- ne people's gures other ave Malenkov", commands the cry much about SSR. The military by the those who he is a very the demotion of the General Staff an example Shtemenko's onko is presently to the demotion of the General Staff and example Shtemenko's onko is presently to the demotion of the General Staff and example Shtemenko's onko is presently to the demotion of the General Staff and example Shtemenko's onko is presently to the demotion of the General Staff and example of the demotion of the General Staff and example of the demotion of the General Staff and example of the demotion of the General Staff and example of the demotion of the General Staff and example of the General Staff an	50X1-HUM 50X1-HUM 50X1-HUM

Declassified in Part - Sanitized Copy Approved for Release 2013/03/21 : CIA-RDP80S01540R006000180002-0

Declassified in Part - Sanitized Copy Approved for Release 2013/03/21 : CIA-RDP80S01540R006000180002-0

50X1-HUM SECRET-US OFFICIALS ONLY -2-Bulganin has taken over control of the KGB and the MVD. 1 50X1-HUM 5. By comparison, V.M. Molotov is better known to the Soviet public than either Khrushchev or Bulganin; however, Marshal K. Ye. Voroshilov is better known than Molotov, because of the former's early popularity, which dates back to the end of the Civil War. 6. It has been said among senior military men in Moscow that L.P. Beriya was executed prior to his trial. It is the belief of some of these military men within the Ministry of Defense that an open trial was avoided because his open court testimony would have implicated other high-ranking officials. 50X1-HUM Beriya planned to seek his support from the rural population by liquidating the kolkhozy after he had seized power. Beriya was said to have gone so far as to prepare manifestos to kolkhozy stating that they would be liquidated and that all the land would be returned to the peasants as private property. ı. Comment: 50X1-HUM has reported that these organizations are headed by Colonel General the Soviet press I.A. Serov and S.N. Kruglov. 50X1-HUM while Beriya was still in power, Bulganin insisted that the Third Directorate of the MVD be turned over to him, but 50X1-HUM this move was blocked by the CC/CPSU and the Council of Ministers.

50X1-HUM

Declassified in Part - Sanitized Copy Approved for Release 2013/03/21: CIA-RDP80S01540R006000180002-0

SECRET-US OFFICIALS ONLY